

## Pretty Spring Wedding Unites Irma Couple

FUDER — MURRAY

On Friday afternoon a prelude of wedding music, played by Miss Carol Matthews, foretold that the Irma Alliance Church was to be the scene of a pretty wedding at three o'clock, when Barbara Louise, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ashley Murray, would become the bride of Lorne Edgar, third son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fuder, all of Irma.

To the strains of Lohengrin's Bridal Chorus the bride entered the church on the arm of her father. She was attired in a light blue suit with white accessories and wore a nylon flower-ered capulet and corsage of red sweetie roses. Her only ornament was a rhinestone necklace, gift of the groom. She was attended by her cousin, Miss Margaret McLennan, of Vermilion, who wore a beige tuxedo suit, feather bandeau, turquoise accessories and corsage of pink sweetie roses. The groom was attended by his brother, John. The double-ring ceremony was performed by Rev. L. D. Sheard, down before a traditional arch, appropriately decorated with pink and white streamers and wedding bells, accented by floral arrangements of spring bouquets at the altar. During the signing of the register, Mrs. Sheard sang, "O Perfect Love." Following the formal introduction by the minister, the wedding party retired from the altar to the recessional music of

Mendelssohn's "Wedding March." For the occasion, the bride's mother chose a brown ensemble complemented by a natural duet-er and a corsage of white carnations. The groom's mother chose a grey bolero-dress, highlighted by red accessories and a corsage of matching carnations.

The reception was held at the home of the bride's parents where a three-tiered wedding cake graced the bridal table. Mrs. A. Ronaghan and Misses Phyllis Johnston and Jean Darling served the very delightful wedding supper. Mrs. Sheard sang, "A Wedding Prayer," especially for the young couple.

Following a brief honeymoon, the newlyweds took up residence in Wainwright where the groom is employed.

## William A. Burton Passed Away

Mr. William Alfred Burton, old-time resident of this district passed away at home in Vancouver on Monday night. Much sympathy is felt for Mrs. Burton and family. Funeral services will be held from the Irma United Church on Saturday, May 9th at 2 p.m.

## Ball Practice

(From The Viking News)

Due to the inclement weather last Sunday, the season's first ball practice will be held this Sunday, May 10th at 1:30 p.m. All former members and others are asked to come out and form a team for the coming season.

—G. Brisard.

More salt is present in the Atlantic than in the Pacific.

## Minutes of Village Council Meeting

Minutes of the regular monthly meeting of the Council of the Village of Irma held in the Village office at 6 p.m. on May 4th, 1959.

Councillors present: L. E. Meier, G. Hurst, V. S. Sampson, Mayor Hurst in the Chair.

Also present: J. C. Charter, Secretary-Treasurer.

Minutes of the last regular monthly meeting held on the 7th day of April were read and on motion of G. Hurst, adopted as written.

Minutes of Court of Revision was also read and passed as correct on motion of G. Hurst. Cd. correspondence dealt with:

Soleitor Settlement and Veterans' Land Act re Gage Lionel Pendleton and Block H Plan 15-60W. Additional amendment required for easement. Requirement required added thereto.

Supervisor of Assessments re appointment of Departmental Assessor for 1959. Filed.

Department of Municipal Affairs: 1. Re Assessment of Exempt properties; 2. Re advice of amendments to various Acts passed recent session of the Legislative Assembly; 3. Re notification of Official Grants for the year 1959. Filed.

Department of Public Welfare re The Homes for Aged or Infirm Act—submission of Grant Claims. Filed.

Sigurd Lefsrud, Viking re A. D. Glasgow and the Village of Irma re Lease East half of Section 27 Township 45 Range 9 W4, all that portion as shown shaded red on Road Plan 5177 K-3, 37-12.

Board of Public Utility Commissioners re Certified copy of No. 245 of the Village of Irma and the proposed renewal franchise agreement to be entered into between the Village of Irma and Calgary Power Co. Ltd. Filed.

Assessment Equalization Board re Notification of Equalized Assessment. Assessment determined by the Board—\$352,518.00.

Requests received under the provisions of Section 12 of the Housing Improvement Act, 1959—\$1321.94.

James Jackson, Irma, re request that the Council consider the opening of lane on the East boundary of Block 16 Plan 6088 for fire wagon access.

Secretary instructed to confirm order to Saskatoon Fire Engine Co. Ltd. re additional 100 ft. 1 1/2 inch fire hose and charges for fire wagon access.

Bylaw No. 245 of the Village of Irma re Franchise Agreement and Calgary Power Ltd. Passed 2nd and 3rd reading.

Estimates 1959

After considering the estimates as prepared and incorporated in these minutes, the following mill rates were agreed upon:

For School Purposes ..... 32M  
Hospitalization Benefits Act 3M  
Total ..... 15M

Bylaw No. 247. A Bylaw of the Village of Irma to authorize the several rates of taxation imposed for all purposes for the year 1959. Passed first, second, and third reading.

Council authorized the Mayor and Secretary-Treasurer to sign easement between A. D. Glasgow and the Village re Certain Easements on the SW 1/4 of Section 27 Township 45 Range 9 W4, Cd. Motion by V. S. Sampson. Cd.

Bylaw No. 248 to provide for the Licensing of Mobile Homes, under the authority and subject to the provisions of 2 (nl) and 329B of the Town and Village Act, being Chapter 338 of the Revised Statutes of Alberta, 1959 and amendments thereto. Passed first, second, third and final reading.

Financial Statement presented. Balance at the end of previous month \$11,805.04. Receipts \$12,369.86. Disbursements \$5163.02. Balance at the end of Month \$7,608.86. Saving account Receipts Int. \$29.48. Balance at end of Month \$3,400.32.

Sampson moved that Financial Statement be accepted as presented.

## Kinsella High Tours City

What a day greeted the students of Kinsella High School on Saturday morning. However, snow, wind and cold. However, shortly after 7 a.m. the bus was loaded with eager students ready to leave Kinsella. Twenty-eight students from Kinsella High and Albert School plus three teachers and the bus driver made up the load.

In spite of poor visibility and slushy roads, the bus made good time, arriving in the city at 9:45 a.m. The group visited the University, going over the Arts and Science Building and the Rutherford Library. The library was particularly interesting as it contained relics dating back to 3000 B.C. We also visited a room of Eskimo and Indian crafts which included a real kayak.

An early lunch at the Varsity "Tuck Shop" revived everyone's pep before visiting the Jubilee Auditorium. We were given the privilege of exploring it thoroughly, and this we proceeded to do. Our Kinsella crests were recognized by one of the workers, who turned out to be Mr. Wallace Sangster, who has relatives north of Kinsella.

Next it was Silverwood's Dairy. There Mr. Lawrence Fuder, formerly of Irma, conducted the tour. We saw the various phases of milk processing and were treated to freshly made popovers. A brief tour of the Macdonald hotel followed, but the banquet rooms were mostly filled, preventing us from examining them. We took special note of the huge Confederation picture.

Our next port of call was the Western Pacific Airline hangar. One of the personnel took us through and pointed out the various types of planes. Of special interest were the planes used for spotting forest fires and the pontoons, of new design, able to carry water to fight forest fires. The visit to radio station CJCA was an especially interesting experience. Four of the personnel we met were, Larry Theison, Walt Rutherford, Don Chevrier and Henri Picard, who took us on tour of the station. The telephone and record library were very interesting. Larry Theison was conducting "Club 93" and asked several students to give greetings over the air. The following were guest disc-jockeys: Elwood Garvie, Florence Landers and Alice Carpenter. Larry was very obliging and explained the workings of the studio to us.

A delicious supper in our reserved section of the Seven Seas restaurant was enjoyed immensely. The highlight of the day was coming up. We arrived to attend the Edmonton Rodeo of Champions at the Edmonton Gardens about 7 p.m. Everyone enjoyed the thrilling performances to the utmost.

Leaving the city at 11 p.m., we arrived back in Kinsella, tired but happy, about 1:30 a.m. A special thanks goes to our bus driver, Mr. Vance Shipley, who drove us through the slippery streets of Edmonton without a mishap. He was most willing to take us anywhere we wished to go in the city. We were disappointed that the Parliament

Buildings were not open to visitors on Saturday. However, we did all enjoy the day in spite of poor weather conditions and hope sometime to do it again.

## Thank You

I want to thank all those who have been so kind in helping us raise funds for our Irma Junior Band.

First, I want to thank Mr. Wes Bacon for giving us such a generous donation of \$50.00; to the St. Band for the donation of \$100.00; to Mrs. Meier, and all the kind ladies who put on a bake sale and raised the fine sum of \$25.50; to all those who helped with the Variety Concert and so generously donated their time and talent to the cause at the door was \$81.35.

Also thanks to those that sold tickets on the Chinese Lamps, which were raffled the night of the concert and were won by Mrs. Clumstad.

To each and all, I say thank you.

I also want you to know that every cent of this money will be spent on instruments and music.

Any help we can get financially will be very much appreciated. You will be able to see by the statement I will give below, that we are quite a bit in the red.

We still are in need of 23 instruments to date.

My work and time is donated free—all I want, is for Irma to have a Band.

If the parents of these youngsters feel they could possibly buy an instrument for their child, or buy the one they are already playing, that would help greatly, and give some other child the chance to get started.

These instruments cost between \$35.00 and \$45.00 a piece and can be bought on time from the band.

If, inside of a month or so, we find that a child cannot play the instrument he or she has, the band will buy it back again. The only other charge will be a membership of \$1.00. This is a good way for your child, or you, to get musical training.

We are starting at the bottom, so help us build a Band we can all be proud of.

Below is our Financial Statement, so you can see we are really in need of help.

We now have 39 players with instruments.

We have purchased:

17 Instruments ..... \$940.90

Cash Received:

Wes Bacon, donation ..... \$50.00

St. Band, donation ..... 100.00

Bake Sale ..... 25.50

Variety Concert ..... 81.35

Chinese Lamp Raffle ..... 74.25

From those buying instruments ..... 180.00

Membership Dues ..... 13.00

\$924.18

As you can see, we are in the red \$122.74, and we have a waiting list of 23 to date for instruments.

Thank you all again.

Yours for a bigger and better band.—Mr. and Mrs. G. Hurst.

## Church Services

ALLIANCE CHURCH

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Sunday:

10:30 a.m.—Sunday School—Classes for all ages.

11:30 a.m.—Mother's Day Service.

8 p.m.—Mother's Day Service.

Ladies' Prayer Band in charge.

Monday, 6:30 p.m.—Alliance Boys' Club; Alliance Girls' Club.

Tuesday, 8 p.m.—Prayer Meeting.

L. D. Sheard, Pastor.

SHARON LUTHERAN

Sunday, May 10th

Confirmation service beginning at 10:30 a.m.

CLC choir at Trinity Lutheran

3-4 p.m.

C. Magee, Pastor.

UNITED CHURCH

Sunday, May 10th

Albert: Worship and Sunday School 10 a.m.

Irma: Sunday School 10:15 a.m.

Open session Mother's Day service. Parents invited.

Worship Service 11:30 a.m.

Mother's Day Service.

You are invited to worship.

H. W. Inglis, Minister.

## Weekly Inspirational Corner

(Sponsored by an Irma Times reader)

When the Son of man shall come in His glory, and all the holy angels with Him, then shall He sit upon the throne of His glory:

And before Him shall be gathered all nations; and He shall separate them one from another as a shepherd divideth his sheep from the goats:

And He shall set the sheep on His right hand, but the goats on the left.

Then shall the King say unto them on His right hand, Come, ye blessed of my Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world:

Then shall He say also unto them on the left hand, Depart from me ye cursed, into everlasting fire, prepared for the devil and his angels.—Matt. 25: 31-34, 41.

## Variety Concert Largely Attended

The variety concert, sponsored by the Young Folks' Band was held in the School Auditorium on May 1st and was largely attended.

Rev. H. W. Inglis was chairman and in his opening remarks warmly praised Mr. and Mrs. Hurst for work with the young folk here.

The following fine program was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

"O Canada"—Mrs. Hurst at the piano.

1. Vocal Solo—Gloria Savard, accompanied by her sister, Lorraine.

2. Piano Solo—Velma Elliott.

3. Accordion, Violin and Guitar Selection—Mrs. McLean and family, Kinsella.

4. Vocal Solo—Carolyn Inklin with Arlene Clumstad, accompanist.

5. Vocal and Accordion Solo—Maryanne Skovinsky.

6. Minuet No. 1—Gail Owen and Linda Lovig.

7. Accordion Solo—Wallace Dunbar.

8. Minuet No. 2—Mrs. E. Owen and Mrs. E. Burton. Both Minnetonka, Minn.

Our young folks who came home from University about a week ago have mostly gone to summer employment elsewhere.

Lorraine Smallwood left by plan for Trout River, B.C. She will teach at this far northern place for the next 4 months.

Alice Fischer will be practicing teaching at Giles school out from Edmonton. Darlene Veer will be practicing teaching at Wainwright. Maureen Patterson will be employed at one of the chalets at Columbia Ice Fields. Irene Dubas, who graduated as Bachelor of Education, will be employed with Edmonton Recreation Commission as playground director.

We understand that Laraine Pond and Clara Bropek will be helping their parents here at Irma.

John Hill will again be working with the R. R. Telegraph. Harold Dootson has returned to his old job at Yellowknife Mines. Fred Daniels is with the Army Engineers at Chilliwack, B.C. Donald Morse will be farming with his Dad for the next month.

Leslie Ballentine is employed with the highway construction at Innisfail.

Hugh Inglis is acting as Soil Inspector for the highway construction.

Joe Rohrer will be working in a pharmacy at Lethbridge.

Jack Dubas has completed his first year in the East and will be working in Edmonton for the summer.

Wainwright Kinsmen Club Newspaper

Car Bingo

Number drawn on May 1st: G-51.

Previous numbers drawn:

B-1 2 3 4 5 8 10 11 12 13 14 15

I-16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 25 26

27 28 29

K-30 34 36 38 39 40 41 42 43 45

C-46 47 48 49 52 53 54 56 57 59

60

O-61 62 63 68 69 70 71 72 73 74

75

Car prize left only.

The following accounts due for payment presented and ordered be passed for payment. Motion by Sampson.

A. C. Charter, salary, etc. \$175.52

Martin Enger 153.74

Alberta Telephones 4.00

Provincial Treasurer 5.00

Central Sales and Service 35.29

A. D. Glasgow 1.00

Minburn-Vermilion Health Unit No. 12 102.51

Municipal Supplies Ltd. 2.97

Donner Bridge Co. Ltd. 81.00

H. A. Barton 48.00

Carl Anquist 14.43

Irma Machine Works 277.50

Irma Co-op Ass'n Ltd. 3.40

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Sampson moved to adjourn.

—A. C. Charter, Sec.-Treas.

Uets were accompanied by Mrs. Hurst.

9. Reading—Mrs. Theroux.

10. Piano Solo—Isobel Inglis.

11. Vocal Solo with Guitar—Jimmy Lingley.

12. Piano Solo—Arlene Clumstad.

13. Vocal Duet—Gail and Melba Sampson accompanied by their sister, Velma.

14. Trumpet Solo with Accordion accompaniment—C. Tisdale.

15. Vocal Solo—Reggie Vanderveate accompanied by Mrs. E. Simmons.

16. A Square Dance—Jean Darling, Shirley Lovig, Linda Daniels, Lorraine Savard, Gary Archibald, Richard Glasgow, Lawrence Matwick and Ronnie King. This was directed by Mrs. J. Ballentine.

17. Vocal Solo—David Glasgow accompanied by his mother.

18. Banjo and Guitar Duet—Mr. and Mrs. G. Hurst.

19. Vocal Solo—Erling Nilson accompanied by Mrs. Nilson.

20. Vocal Solo with Accordion—Eileen Anderson.

21. Saxophone and Accordion Duet—Carolyn and Bobbie Morse.

22. Vocal Solo—Aetha Margaret Glasgow accompanied by her mother.

23. Piano Solo—Carol Matthews.

"God Save the Queen."

After the program the winning ticket was drawn for the Chinese lamps. Mrs. K. Clumstad was the winner.

## IRMA THEATRE

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## Nutria raising profitable for local man

The Weekly Advance, Kemptville, Ontario.

Nutria raising has turned into a profitable business for F. S. Johnston of R.R. 1, Oxford Station, who is reporting success as one of the few breeders of such animals in Canada.

The Nutria is a small fur bearing animal that calls Argentina its native country. It weighs from 35 to 40 pounds and has a fur that in addition to being beautiful, is one of the lightest in weight.

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Vegetarians, Nutria average five to eight kits a litter, and when the kits are born, they come equipped for life with open eyes and fully furred. The owners report these fur-bearing money makers to eat carrots when they are three days old.

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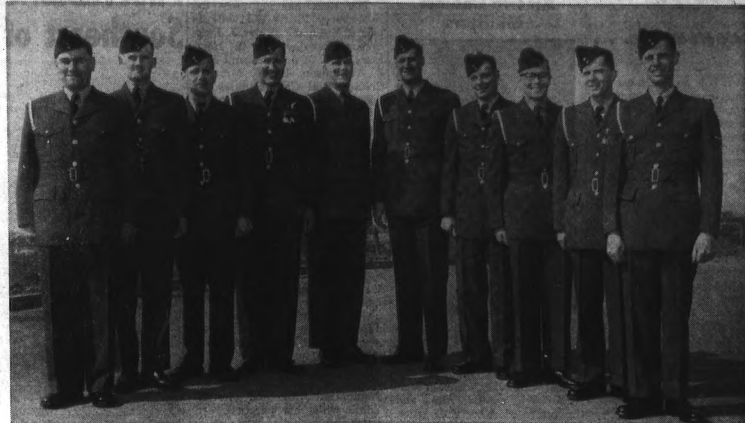
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**AIRMEN FROM PRAIRIE PROVINCES PARTICIPATE IN NATO PARADE**—Ten airmen from the Prairie Provinces formed a part of the RGAF ground contingent which participated in a 5,000-man parade at Mainz, Germany, earlier this month (April 4) to mark the 10th anniversary of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization. The Canadians marched along the Rhine Promenade in company with sailors, soldiers and airmen from eight other nations represented in Allied Forces, Central Europe. Partic-

## Tisdale brightens streets

### with mercury vapour lighting

A question posed by the Tisdale Chamber of Commerce about 16 months ago has resulted in new and vastly improved street-lighting for this northeastern Saskatchewan town's 2,300 residents.

It was in November, 1957, that the Tisdale Chamber contacted the town council on the question of improved lighting. The move initiated a series of events which resulted in the town's decision to have its street lighting system brought up to date.

Tisdale has now had mercury and sodium vapour lights installed to replace the former incandescent lamps. Today, as a result of the change, the town's streets are about four times as brightly lighted as before. Not only do the new lamps each provide three to four times as much light as the bulbs they replace—but the town also has 53 more lamps than it had before the change.

Lighting in the town was formerly on a corner-block basis, but the addition of 53 more units has enabled Tisdale to have adequate centre-block lighting as well.

The new lighting installation was completed just recently. Tisdale now has 149—125-watt and 24—250-watt mercury vapour lamps in operation, as well as three 140-watt sodium vapour lamps, the latter installed at railway crossings. Still to be completed is the removal of some of the old street light poles, which will be done as soon as frost is out of the ground.

Total capital cost of the new lighting installation is over \$19,000. The installation will give Tisdale about four times as much light for only double the operating

cost of the former system.

The chain of events which brought Tisdale its new lighting system began when Dave Anderson, SPC sales representative for the area, noted the Chamber of Commerce enquiry to Tisdale council in newspaper reports. Mr. Anderson met with council to discuss their lighting requirements, and later carried out a lighting survey to determine Tisdale's needs.

Recommendations to council were accepted, and last year the project got under way, under the direction of Frank Pearson, SPC District Superintendent, Melfort, and R. Brockman, Tisdale District Operator.

Units used are designed to diffuse light in specific patterns for specific needs. For example, corner lighting requirements differ from centre-block, and residential needs differ from those for business districts. Sodium vapour lighting was selected for railway crossings because its amber light is associated with caution signals.

Commenting on the installation, Mr. Anderson said that, although operating costs are higher, they are in line with the \$3.00 per capita per year cost found by illumination engineers to be needed to provide adequate street lighting for such a community.

Mr. Anderson said the comparison between old and new systems was somewhat like the comparison

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—National Defence photo.

## LOAFING BARN

A large pole loafing barn used to winter the best herd at the Nappan Experimental Farm was used as a confinement shelter for chickens during the summer months. It provided excellent rearing facilities and extended the usefulness of a building which normally lies idle during the summer.

between the "Model T" car of 30-odd years ago and today's automobiles. While the old system served relatively well in the past, it was no longer anywhere near adequate, he said.

## Isn't it the truth?

—Only way to get along with some people is to get along without them.

—Men who give in if wrong are wise; men who give in if right—are married.

—A person can't hope for success—he has to "hop" for it.

—Some people never hit the mark because they never pull the trigger.

—When success turns a man's head, he is facing failure.

—Culture, like custard, curdles when it's overdone. —The News, Maryfield, Sask.

## Strictly fresh

**IT PROBABLY WAS TRUE**  
Car Owner: "I've had this car a whole year and haven't paid a cent for repairs or upkeep since I bought it."  
Friend: "So the man at the service station was telling me."

## HOW SAD

Mrs. Murphy: "What might ye be lookin' for darlin'?"  
Mr. Murphy: "Nothing, just nothing."

Mrs. Murphy: "Oh! Thin ye'll find it in the bottle where the whiskey used to be."

Twigg (over telephone): "Hello, Riggs, did you see the report of my death in the morning paper?"  
Riggs: "Er... yes, where are you talking from?"

## CRUEL ECONOMY

Green told his friend that he made up his mind to speak to his wife about using a little more economy in the household. Next day, however, Green looked pretty glum.

"Was your lecture effective?" his friend asked.

"You bet. It seems I'm going to give up beer and cigars."

**IT HAPPENED TO MANY**  
"If I had been selling the stocks I was buying and buying the stocks I was selling, I'd be a rich man today."

—The Canadian, Camrose, Alberta

Mealtime is when the kids sit down to continue their eating.

## How To Hold

### FALSE TEETH

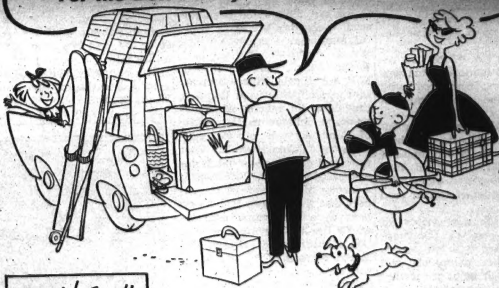
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## KNOW SASKATCHEWAN BETTER WEEK

MAY 4 TO 10

See more of your province this summer.

## News Report From Edmonton

By Ken Mason

EDMONTON — Earlier this year when the U.S. government granted statehood to Alaska, the Alberta government saw an opportunity to cash in.

Officials of the province's travel bureau foresaw a major upsurge in commercial and tourist traffic to Alaska, quickly geared Alberta's tourist promotion campaign to take maximum advantage of it.

Advertisements slated to appear in United States national magazines and major newspapers were headed up with the slogan: "The paved corridor to the Alaska Highway," and carried maps showing Alberta's main south-north highway system leading to the Alaska route. Tourist brochures, booklets, pamphlets and maps carried the same message to an American public which was showing great interest in the country's 49th state.

Last week officials of the travel bureau knew the campaign was paying off.

Requests for information on Alberta were coming into the travel bureau office in the Legislative Building at an unprecedented rate. On one day alone the bureau received 680 inquiries; one stenographer is kept busy every day doing nothing but type addresses on packages of literature sent out to everyone who asks for information.

American visitors who make the trip to Alaska early in the season are going to wonder if they can believe everything they read, because the corridor to the Alaska Highway is not yet paved all the way. There are a few more miles of the Whitecourt Valleyview cutoff route still to be blacktopped, but the highways department promises it will be done this summer.

Travel officials feel Alberta could really cash in if the roads were paved all the way to Alaska. The Legislature passed a resolution this year urging Ottawa to take up an offer from the U.S. government to share the cost of paving the Canadian section of the Alaska Highway, but Ottawa doesn't seem to be interested.

Dan E. C. Campbell, director of the travel bureau, says the upcoming tourist season in Alberta shapes up as a good one on all counts.

Last week his office had received 16,605 inquiries from potential visitors, compared with 14,780 at the same time last year.

To meet the demand for information on Alberta, the bureau has stocked 100,000 copies of a new combination road map and tourist brochure, along with the same number of regular road maps.

Every person who writes for information receives the map-brochure along with an assortment of other pamphlets and booklets which paint a glowing picture of holiday attractions in Alberta.

In addition to the literature sent out by mail, the travel bureau supplies maps and pamphlets to some 1,100 outlets all over the continent. Mostly, they go to motor association offices, travel bureaus and chambers of commerce.

The tourist industry has become big business in Alberta. This year the travel bureau is spending more than \$130,000 on advertising and promotion.

FORESTRY OFFICIALS are hoping last week's widespread snowfall has brought an end to what was shaping up as one of the worst forest fire situations in many years.

Late last week there had been a total of 109 forest and brush fires reported since April 1—more than had been reported by early June last year. Dry conditions in the forests had left the fire hazard higher than most forestry men had ever seen it.

By the end of the week snowfall in all forestry divisions north of Rocky Mountain House had reduced the fire hazard to zero.

Farmers, wondering what to do with parched, dry fields also were happy to see the snow, even though it may mean a slight delay in seeding.

The Alberta Department of Agriculture each spring distributes free of charge about a million and a half locally grown trees and shrubs for farm planting in the province.

## Current Comment...

• Even if it is a piece meal sort of arrangement to commence hard-topping Highway 36 part ways between Killam and Viking, and from Viking north, as announced by Hon. Gordon Taylor at the meeting here Monday evening, it is at least a recognition that Highway 36 is on the government's program. The southern part of 36 is also to receive some attention this year. The sooner Highway 36 is recognized as another main highway north from the U.S. border, traffic from the south is bound to increase and open up a new all-weather route to the Cold Lake area, the largest RCAF station in Canada, and the finest fishing, hunting and tourist country in North America.

• They say that April showers bring May flowers, but this year May snows are doing it instead. The heavy snows over the weekend have practically disappeared and the moisture they brought was very welcome, although we hear that cattle are suffering somewhat from lack of feed and pasture. Warm, sunny days and the odd rain shower should soon solve the problem.

• Winston Churchill's visit to president Eisenhower this week is a bright moment in the international scene. These two men above all, kept the world on an even keel during the dark days of World War II with their innate belief that democracy will triumph. This should be an object lesson to those who fear that the world is about to be destroyed by atomic bombs. As long as men like these remain good friends in spite of irritating problems that beset their countries, there is hope for humanity.

• May 10th is Mother's Day, being celebrated all over the world, we hope. There shouldn't be too much sentimentality connected with these services so as to make them too much like a funeral service. Mothers, young or old, are people like the rest of us who enjoy life, enjoy a joke, and are happy to know advancing years do not put them aside from the usual every day life of an individual citizen.

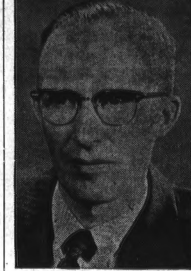
• Our friend, Cliff Smallwood, M.P. for Battle River-Camrose, sent us a clipping from Hansard, the authentic record of parliamentary debates in the House of Commons, wherein he castigates the CCF members for what they said about the recent farmers' trek to Ottawa. Cliff, who is a farmer himself, refutes the report that the western P.C. members were not sympathetic towards the 1100 member delegation that visited Ottawa in March. Knowing Cliff as I do, he was on the job to make sure the delegates were well received and did what he could to assist them in any way.

• Ingmar Johanson, the Swedish heavyweight boxer from Stockholm, is the next contender for the heavyweight boxing championship of the world. Last week, Brian London, the British heavyweight champion, surprised fandom by staying 11 rounds with the colored champion Floyd Patterson. Ingmar meets Floyd in June in New York for the world title. He says he is going to take the title back to Sweden. The big Swede may just do that. Cheerio, Ingmar.

## Lieut.-Governor Will Present Essay Awards

The Hon. John J. Bowen, Lieutenant-Governor of Alberta, will present awards to the provincial winners of a school essay contest on Farm Safety in which over 30,000 Alberta farm children are competing. The presentations will be made at the Alberta Safety Conference being held in the Calgary Jubilee Auditorium, May 25-26. Sponsored by the Alberta Safety Council, the contest provides for two winners in each Alberta school division representing grades five and six and grades seven and eight. Prizes for division winners include a wall plaque for the school room and a specially designed lapel button for the winning youngster. In addition, the provincial winners in each grade level receive \$50 for 1st prize and \$25 for 2nd prize.

## Short Sketches of Alberta Cabinet Ministers



HON. J. DONOVAN ROSS, M.D.  
(Edmonton)

Born March 13, 1911, in Waldo, British Columbia. Son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ross. Educated at Waldo, B.C., Edmonton, Alta., and University of Alberta. Degrees, B.A., M.D. Married Lillian Peterson, R.N., of Lussland, Saskatchewan in 1938. Eight children, four boys and four girls. Practised as physician and surgeon from 1938. Four and a half years with Royal Canadian Navy during World War II with rank of Surgeon-Commander. Post graduate studies at Toronto and Montreal 1946. Charter member of College of General Practitioners. Elected to Alberta Legislature in 1952 for Edmonton. Re-elected in 1955. Appointed Minister of Health 1957. Political party, Social Credit. Religion, United Church. Address, 10604 - 83 Avenue, Edmonton.

## NORTH EAST CORNER

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Nemyo were Edmonton visitors last week.

On Thursday, Mrs. Wes Parsons and baby Leonard Francis, returned home from the Viking hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Cook went up to Tofield on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Haynes of Drayton Valley are visitors with the George Fords.

On Tuesday Gayle Prosser had after-school party to celebrate being nine.

Alice Cook is happily announcing a new little niece's arrival, Patricia Ann, born April 30 to Mr. and Mrs. Dick Gower in Toronto.

The sympathy of the district is extended to the relatives of Mr. W. A. Burton.



POOCH GETS SOUPED UP — Sun Valley, Idaho — Bobby Shanks, son of the Sewart National Forest Ranger, decides to turn the tables on a St. Bernard better he met at Sun Valley Lodge. Not wanting any of the alpine savour's traditional brew, Bobby lets the dog finish a cup of hot soup.

## EASTERLY ECHOES

The next meeting of the Strawberry Plains W.I. will be held at the home of Mrs. J. Jackson on Thursday, May 21. Hostesses, Mrs. J. Jackson and Mrs. E. Tomlinson; Raffle, Mrs. M. Creasy; Roll Call, Pennies for Friendship.

Messrs. Pete Funk and Harry Long attended the Bull Sale at Lloydminster, Sask. on Tuesday.

Master Chad Allred celebrated his 1st birthday on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Creasy visited at the Eddie Jackson's on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reed and family visited at the Ted Hill home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Hinka and Wyatt of Hardisty visited at the Art Long's and Harry Long's on Sunday.

The Dootson's Northwest "40" is still a beehive of activity even though the drilling rig was moved on Saturday.

Kathy Stephenson of Wainwright spent Monday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Fenton while her parents were in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Stephenson and girls were Sunday visitors at the E. Fenton home.

Mr. L. B. King of Edmonton is visiting at the home of his son, Bill.

Donald Morse of the U. of A. arrived home on Thursday evening. He plans to stay "Down on the Farm" for a month.

The district was greatly shocked to hear of the passing of another of our pioneers, Mr. W. A. Barton of Vancouver on Monday evening. His son Joe left by plane Tuesday morning to be with his mother. Sympathy is extended to the Burton family in their loss.

Darleen Veer is teaching the Grade 3 class in the Denwood School in Wainwright and Alice Fischer is teaching Grades 1 and 2 in the Giles School north of Edgemoor.

The best of luck, girls. The first poplar and willow leaves emerged on Friday when the thermometer read in the high sixties. By 6:30 a.m. Saturday it had plunged to 26 above.

They talk of million dollar rains; we are convinced we had a million dollar snowfall at the weekend to moisten the dry fields and pastures, surely more encouragement — to commence gardening now.

Large flocks of geese were winging their way northwest on Monday.

## Cominco Iron and Steel Smelter

TRAIL, B.C. — The construction of Western Canada's first iron and steel smelter will be started immediately at Kimberley, B.C., by The Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company of Canada Limited. The smelter will be the first stage in an integrated iron and steel operation costing in excess of \$20,000,000 which will produce pig iron, steel ingots, and rolled steel products, to serve the rapidly growing markets in Western Canada. Planned capacity will be in excess of 100,000 tons per year. The smelter will be located adjacent to Cominco's chemical fertilizer plant in Kimberley and will employ over two hundred men. The announcement was made simultaneously by The Honourable W. A. C. Bennett, Premier of British Columbia, in Victoria, and W. S. Kirkpatrick, President of Cominco, in Montreal.

A suitable sign will be put up on Highway 14 to guide tourists and sightseers to the cairn, said W. G. Bryant, publicity director for the Province of Alberta.

Mealtime is when the kids sit down to continue their eating.

## First Historic Cairn Unveiled Southeast of Viking



Examining the cairn are Viking's mayor, Selmer A. Hafso, and Lumir G. Dobry, on whose land the stones were found.

The first of 25 historic cairns to be erected by the Government of Alberta this year was unveiled April 30 at the site of "The Ribstones," about 7 1/2 miles southwest of Viking. Quite a number of citizens were present for the unveiling ceremony.

Two rocks, carved or chiselled so as to resemble the ribs of buffalo, are marked by the cairn. The ribstones are believed to have had a sacred significance to the Indians of this area for more than 1,000 years. According to a legend associated with the stone carvings, Indians sacrificed buffalo on the stones at the commencement of each hunt, in the belief that such sacrifices would ensure success.

Other historic cairns to be unveiled this year will mark the sites of forts, Indian battles, massacres, etc. Heading the program of preservation and restoration of such sites is a committee of three cabinet ministers, Hon. A. R. Patrick, Economic Affairs; Hon. E. W. Hinman, Provincial Treasurer, and Hon. J. Hartley, Public Works.

The inscription on the cairn reads as follows:

"THE RIBSTONES"  
"These stones which represent the ribs of a buffalo undoubtedly had a sacred significance in some primitive cult concerned with the fertility of the buffalo and are thought to have been graven well over a 600 years ago. All subsequent Indian tribes down to modern times venerated them. — Erected by the Province of Alberta."

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## Jarrow W.A. Present Gift to Departing Member

Despite the weather, 11 members and 6 visitors were present for the WA meeting at the home of Mrs. C. Soneff. Three members of the Melbrae WA were given a special welcome.

Mrs. Burr, the president, then expressed her regret at the WA losing a member who has also been our Secretary the past two years and then presented Mrs. Ida Bridgeman with a gift and card from the Aid. Ida expressed her sincere thanks and said she would certainly miss us all and all her pleasant associations with us.

It was then decided to go ahead with further plans for the supper at Jarrow Hall on June 10th.

Both the Melbrae and Jarrow WA decided that holding both church services in the morning seemed more satisfactory, alternately each Sunday between 10 a.m. and 11:15 a.m.

A delicious lunch brought the pleasant afternoon to a close.

The next meeting to be at the home of Mrs. Ralph Mark on June 23rd.

Our forefathers were those quaint, old-fashioned people, who, if they couldn't earn enough to get along on, got along on what they earned.

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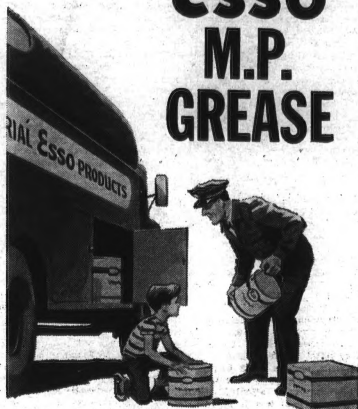
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## Kinsella News

A long-time resident of this district, Mr. Paul Oetzel, passed away in the Viking hospital last week. Sympathy is extended to his family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Johnston spent several days in Edmonton last week where Mr. Johnston attended Civil Defence meetings.

Miss Carol Garvie, nurse-in-training at the Lamont Hospital, is home on holiday.

Mr. Edward Overbo who recently completed his fourth year at the University of Alberta, spent a few days at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. Overbo.

Mrs. A. Milne and Miss Marilyn Paterson are at present visiting relatives in Calgary.

On Tuesday, April 28th, a late afternoon shower was held in the Kinsella Memorial Hall in honor of Miss Alyce Furmanek who is to be married on May 9th. As the bride-to-be entered the hall, she was welcomed by her hostesses and seated at a table decorated in pink, white, and blue. Alyce, with the help of Bonnie McPherson and Mary Brickman, who are to be her bridesmaids, opened her lovely and useful gifts. Alyce then thanked everyone for the gifts after which a delicious lunch was served.

Donation to the Kinsella United Church Improvement Fund in memory of Mr. F. Walz from Mrs. R. Stevens.

Donation to the Kinsella Sunday School in memory of Mr. J. Zelinski from Mrs. R. Stevens.

## Jarrow News

The sympathy of the community is extended to Mrs. Ted Skori whose father, Mr. Arrow Smith passed away at Fernie, B.C. on April 22nd.

Mrs. Ted Skori returned last Tuesday after spending the past week at Fernie, B.C.

A donation to the M. and M. Fund of the Jarrow United Church in memory of Mr. Arrow Smith has been received from Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Overby.

A donation to the M. and M. Fund in memory of Mrs. Roy Hodges of DeSmet, S.D., has been received from Mr. and Mrs. G. Theroux, Mr. and Mrs. R. Aitley, Mr. and Mrs. C. Sonoff. Mr. Knute Overby of Vancouver has been a recent visitor at the home of his brother, Mr. Arthur Overby. Knute plans on spending the summer working for Mr. Elmer Aunie at Rawlley, Alberta.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Holt are now back from their enjoyable trip to the States. A warm welcome from the district is extended to them.

Miss Dianne Pallister arrived on Saturday to take over the Jarrow Church during the summer. Despite the adherent weather, a good attendance was present for Sunday's Service and extend a welcome to her.

Next Sunday's Services are: Service at 11:30 a.m. Sunday School to commence Sunday, May 17th.

The sympathy of the district is extended to Mrs. Mary Ann Belton whose grandfather, Mr. Kenneth, passed away on Sunday. Only two weeks ago her uncle was drowned in Quebec.

## Printer Knows His Beans

Bob Thunell of the Viking News, won the 42-piece set of stainless steelware in a bean guessing contest jointly sponsored by Superior Distributors Co. of Edmonton, and Rudy's Cafe. The winner was announced on Wednesday, April 30. The contest consisted of guessing the number of beans in a jar and when the contest closed and the beans counted by representatives of Superior Distributors, Bob's guess of 1649 was the closest to the number in the jar which was 1632. Runner-up was Russ Hanson with a count of 1650.

## THOSE WERE THE DAYS



## Northern Nuggets

Heartiest congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Dick Gower of Toronto on the arrival of a daughter, Patricia Anne, weight 7 lbs. 8 oz., on April 30th, a sister for David.

We are sorry to report the passing of Mr. Gower Sr. in Vancouver on the same day.

Mrs. Barsz went to Mamville on Monday for further hospital care. It is hoped that many of her friends will be able to visit her while she is there.

Mr. Bill Williams has received new glasses, and the results are most gratifying. He will again be able to enjoy his lovely garden, and things near and dear to him.

Mrs. W. Prior left on Tuesday for Toronto and London where she will visit two of her sisters and a number of other relatives. We wish her an enjoyable holiday.

The sympathy of the community is extended to Mrs. Frank Kar and other members of her family in the loss of their father, Mr. W. A. Burton.

A very interesting and instructive Parent and Teachers' meeting was held in the school on April 27. A good discussion was conducted by Mrs. A. Larson and Miss Van Hyfte and two fine films on the "Child's Need for Guidance" and the teacher's attitude toward the growth and development of the child were shown by Mr. Ingham.

Mrs. Robin Johnson will attend the Parent and Teachers' Convention in Edmonton on May 12-15th and will give her report at the next regular meeting.

## Glen-Coa Gleanings

Warmest congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Fuder from all in Lorne's home district and may the coming years bring added happiness.

Mr. and Mrs. Symington and children and Mrs. Zoost were shown by Mr. Lorne Fuder from all in Lorne's home district and may the coming years bring added happiness.

Mr. and Mrs. Erling Nilson. Mrs. Zoost remained to visit for a few days.

Next Sunday will be a special day at Sharon Church when Misses Evelyn and Esther Fluevog are confirmed. A fellowship dinner is being planned.

A great number from our community will be going to Trinity Lutheran Church next Sunday afternoon to hear the C.L.C. choir which is to present their sacred song program beginning at 3 p.m.

On Friday evening, May 15, at 8 p.m. the Rev. Carl Johnson will be at Sharon. This group comes from CLBI. Pastor Johnson is well-known to all of our community.

The program presented at Sharon Sunday evening by the Battle-River Zion Lutheran League of Chauvin was extremely interesting. A thought-provoking discussion followed the shadow play. A time of fellowship around the lunch table brought the evening to a close.

## Slow Down and Live

With the first of June this year will come the international drive against the "in-a-hurry" motorist, called SLOW DOWN AND LIVE.

Once again, Canada will join with the United States in its annual campaign to eliminate the driver who employs all the sneaky tricks he knows to get where he is going as fast as he can. Usually, it has been found, he has no real reason for taking the risks he does; he only does it because he wants to feel the mastery when he cuts off another motorist or outwits the police or the rest of traffic.

The grave peril he creates wherever he goes is the concern of all, the Conference believes, and he must be stopped. By means of the SLOW DOWN AND LIVE campaign, the two North American nations join their powerful hands to block his way and prevent him from leaving his customary trail of destruction, damages and death.

## Jackson Journeys

Being encouraged by the generous space given to our account of our recent trip to California in the Times, and also by the comments of people, both local and distant, who have read of our ramblings, I have decided to write one more letter.

During our stay with my uncles at St. Helena, we visited quite a number of people and places, just a few of which I mention in passing. A Carmelite monastery, which had been recently established at a place called Oakville by a group of Irish priests of that order, was one place we visited. The purpose of the monastery is to prepare young men for reception into the order, and is presided over by Father Aloysius, a very interesting person with a magnetic personality from County Cork with whom I had a very nice chat.

The Veteran's Hospital of California at Yountville, is a very extensive establishment we were shown one Sunday afternoon by a friend who works there as a lab. technician. We saw quite a number of veterans of both world wars, the Korean war, and one or two veterans of the Spanish-Mexican war. The hospital, which is located on an elevation overlooking a fruit and grape valley, is beautifully landscaped and very well kept.

A very interesting afternoon was spent in visiting an 82 year old lady rancher named Zaidie Wallace who operates a seven hundred and fifty acre Hereford ranch in Pope Valley. This lady, a typical westerner, still rides saddle horses and does most of the herding and moving of cattle herself. My uncle, Fred Wallace, had been in touch with her by phone and letter for several years but this was the first time he had met her personally.

The main purpose of our visit was to investigate the possibility that they were the descendants of the same line of Wallaces. While the evidence brought out by both sides was not exactly conclusive, there were indications a distant relationship did exist. Miss Wallace said that her family originated in Scotland between three and four hundred years ago and had emigrated to Ireland where they remained for about fifteen or twenty years before coming over to U.S.A. They settled in the deep south and raised cotton and tobacco with slave labor for several generations until the outbreak of the civil war. After the war, they moved to Illinois, but they were not too happy there owing to the prejudices against their southern sympathies. Finally, after several more moves, the family arrived in California and settled in Pope Valley. Zaidie had three brothers for whom farming was too tame and as a result she gave up a business career to take over her father's ranch. She later was willed an adjoining ranch by an uncle. (To be continued)

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## THOSE WERE THE DAYS



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## The Bank of Light

The Canadian Lions have banded themselves together to add their contribution to a worthy effort with India, through the Lions Club of Bombay, who have established an Eye-Glass Bank.

In many underprivileged countries, where the economy is not too stable, or is in the process of growing, thousands upon thousands of their inhabitants are in dire need of glasses. In India alone, with its tremendous population, it is estimated that 2,500,000 persons suffer from serious eye diseases.

These people face blindness unless help comes quickly in the form of glasses which countless hundreds cannot afford.

The Canadian Lions, during the last two weeks of April, are waging a campaign to collect at least 100,000 pair of discarded glasses and ship these to India immediately. Dr. M.C. Modi, Eye Surgeon, Davangere, India, reports, "I did 433 eye examinations on December 25th and 26th in Nandy free eye operation camp. All patients and attendants were given free food, and free Lions spectacles were given to those patients with error in refraction—a Gift of Sight at Christmas. These glasses were sent by the Lions Club of Washington, D.C.

The cause of the eye trouble comes, in part, from poor nutrition and, as a result of inadequate food supply, hundreds of thousands are condemned to a level of material existence which is almost sub-human. Commonwealth Governments are making progress to overcome this disparity in food supply, but many who have already been afflicted by eye damage have little to look forward to, as the blind are rejected and are classed as beggars and tramps.

Here is where the efforts of the

Canadian Lions can do the most good and substantially increase the presently meagre flow of used glasses to India.

Two other requests have been received from the Philippines and Chile and should the Canadian Lions collect more than 300,000 pair of glasses, shipments will be made to these two countries.

Throughout the length and breadth of Canada, there must be literally hundreds of thousands of unused and discarded spectacles, hiding in cupboards, drawers and desks, where they have been idly tossed. With our eyes changing with advancing years and new prescriptions ground, as well as the passing away of loved ones, there is an accumulation of old spectacles usually in excellent condition, which now have untold value in a humanitarian cause. To tap this reservoir and thus assist the needy of India, who are handicapped by poor sight, the "Bank of Light" campaign was organized. India was selected after investigation, since it was shown to be part of the world which was most urgently in need of eye glasses for its millions of people.

When these eye-glasses have been collected, they will be shipped free of charge by the generous consent of shipping lines to Bombay. Here Indian opticians, with equipment already on hand, will catalogue the lenses. There will be many questions asked as to how the collected glasses can be adapted to new wearers, especially when prospective donors tell them that their eye requirements are so unusual that their lenses could not possibly be of value to anyone else. This is not it. It is true that some of the lenses may have to be discarded, but out of those thousands being tested, there is a great possibility that another would need those same special glasses. Competent opticians have assured us that the exact grinding of lenses to the fraction of a percentage is not a requirement for vision improvement. A close approximation of the proper specifications will be of immeasurable value to many handicapped persons.

It is known that the fitting of glasses to the individual has a great deal to do with the benefit received. From the experience gained in the past, it has been proven that the project is worthwhile from the success it has had in the past. The experience of the project is that the fitting of lenses may not be the exact prescription, you will all agree that 50 percent improvement in vision is better than none at all.

The Lions Club of Bombay have assured us that each case is thoroughly investigated and inability to pay for glasses is established before the donation is made. The project will in no way affect the normal business of opticians and oculists in India. The collection of glasses by Lions Clubs not only fulfills a desperate need but fits into the standing programme of Sight Conservation in all Clubs, as well as promulgating International friendship and co-operation.

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MARTIN PEDERSON becomes P.C. candidate for the provincial constituency of Arm River. Ron McLellan, left, President of the P.C. Association of Arm River, congratulates Mr. Pederson on being elected by acclamation at a P.C. nominating convention held April 6th at Davidson, Sask. Mr. Pederson, who farms at Hawarden, is leader of the P.C. Party in Saskatchewan.

## Martin Pederson nominated in Arm River

Martin Pederson, Leader of the Progressive Conservative Party of Saskatchewan was nominated to represent Arm River Constituency at a nominating convention held in the Town Hall, Davidson, on Monday afternoon, April 6.

He was nominated by J. A. Vogt of Davidson and seconded by M. A. Perry of Hawarden. Chairman Ron McLellan, President of the Arm River Progressive Conservative Association called on candidates from other provincial constituencies. They spoke briefly, and all mentioned the trend across the province which was evidenced today by the large attendance at this convention. They all spoke of the high esteem in which Mr. Pederson is held as Leader of the Party. Candidates present were Walter Doherty, Redfield of Redberry constituency, Bob Topping, Findlater of Lumsden constituency, Charlie James, Bateman of Gravelbourg constituency, Jack Lehmond, Cando of Biggar constituency, and Mrs. Verlie McDonald of Moonbeam.

Also present and introduced to the meeting were Mrs. Pederson, wife of the Provincial Leader, his mother, Mrs. B. Pederson, and two children, Gayle and David. Mr. Pederson gave a broad outline of the policies and aims of the Progressive Conservative Party. The Leader of the Progressive Conservative Party was proclaimed candidate for the Provincial constituency of Arm River by a standing vote of the entire cheering, handclapping convention. In his opening remarks, he thanked those who moved and seconded his nomination, paid tribute to the old time supporters and had words of encouragement for the many young people in the audience. Stressing the fact that there would be a Conservative candidate in every constituency in the province, he pointed out that there were now 18 candidates nominated.

Severely criticising the C.C.F. government for their continuing program of socialized spending with no hint or definite plan of developing the natural resources in the Province to help provide the revenue to pay for the spending. Such as additional hospitalization services, changes in the social aid act, increases in the amount the Government supplies for low rental housing for the aged, plus amendments of many of the other social services, Mr. Pederson said, "The C.C.F. government is very busy making changes in these various social acts, changes that are designed to be vote catching, make no mistake about that—they are also busy on the quiet cutting corners from the hospitalization Act. I am speaking now of the specific benefits that have been paid in the past on behalf of our senior citizens; the old age pensioners, the blind, and those who are receiving mother's allowances. Our Government have finally decided that they must cut costs, and it would appear that those people I have just mentioned, are expendable, and no longer needed in this province, because as of April 1st, senior citizens will now be required to pay half of the cost of drugs they need when they are sick as compared to one-fifth of the cost previously. After 14 days in hospital, doctors bills will also have to be paid directly by those people," he continued. "This is the policy of the party who have ridden to power by misleading people into believing their slogan of 'humanity first'. If it is necessary to cut corners under the hospitaliza-

tion Act, then I want to know this, why was the fee charged reduced just last year? Why is the cut being made at the expense of those who are unable to protect themselves, and I am speaking of those senior citizens who built this country, who have been told so many times in honeyed phrases by the C.C.F. how wonderful they are. Why is this cut made at the expense of the blind, the widows, the aged? The reason in my opinion is very obvious; in the eyes of the C.C.F. these people, as voters, are expendable. They don't need them any more. Perpetuation of themselves in power has now taken precedence over the high ideals of having regard for the less fortunate of our citizens. This is an act that must be rescinded. This is an act that will be rescinded when the Conservative Party become the power in Regina," Mr. Pederson concluded.

Severely criticising the government's boast of having "the most enlightened labor legislation in all of Canada," he said, "Our government has, in fact, allowed a carte blanche invitation for unscrupulous elements to take over and exploit the finest efforts of labor," adding "Mr. Hoffa and his henchmen have openly boasted that they would organize under their own auspices, regardless of Canadian unions, already in exist-

## Asleep at the wheel

It never can be known how many bad accidents have been caused by the driver of a car dozing for a few seconds while he is driving. It is a tragedy yet one that could, in many cases, have been prevented. As soon as a driver begins to feel drowsy, he should pull off the road, stop, turn off the engine, lock windows and door and take a few minutes' nap. If there is a roadside snack bar near a cup of hot tea or coffee will help him feel refreshed when he awakens. It is a good idea, too, to get out of the car and walk around for a few minutes. A vacuum bottle of hot tea or coffee is always a good standby for long motor trips.

ence, every man that works and every machine that moves on the face of that dam."

Dealing with items in the speech from the Throne he stated that there was absolutely no recognition given either in the Throne speech or the budget for the problems of the farmers in this province. "The smallest amount of spending being done in any department of government was in the department of agriculture," he said that the greatest efforts that have been expended by the C.C.F. Government to aid agriculture, has been to look to Ottawa for the answer.

For one who never knows what she wants, today's woman is quite apt at getting it.

## Early tillage kills 'hoppers, conserves soil

"Grasshopper control is of vital importance to the soil conservationist, because if these pests aren't controlled, trash cover, a weapon in soil conservation, will disappear," Earl Johnson, soils specialist, said today.

He also stressed that early tillage, important in grasshopper control, is important in good soil management.

"As soil conservationists, we are interested in good soil management, and this puts us squarely behind the grasshopper control campaign which emphasizes early tillage," he said.

Mr. Johnson pointed to other advantages of early tillage. "Studies at the Swift Current Experimental Farm revealed that working summerfallow early, instead of leaving until mid-June or early July, gave as much as a three-bushel difference in yield on the following year's crop. This was the case even during the wet years from 1952 through 1956.

"Early tillage on summerfallow is a profitable practice," he pointed out further. "Three extra bushels were obtained from that land on which the early tillage cost only 65 cents."

Early tillage will starve grasshoppers infesting stubble fields in affected areas of Saskatchewan this year. That fact alone, the soils specialist pointed out, will mean a saving to many farmers in reduced crop losses on the whole farm operation.

It is just as well to refrain from cropping stubble land where grasshoppers are most apt to be a serious threat," he continued. "If hoppers are present, the crop may be poor, and the farmer is left with a bare summerfallow for the coming year."

"In this regard, farmers would do well to remember the conditions of last May when soil drifting proved to be quite a problem," he stressed.

In closing his remarks on early tillage as a soil conservation practice as well as a grasshopper control measure, Mr. Johnson pointed out that tillage—early in spring when moisture content is right—leaves the land in better condition through the year.

## SHEEP COUNCIL

Formation of a National Sheep Council to promote lamb and other sheep products has been called for in a resolution at the annual meeting of the British Columbia Sheep Producers' Co-op Association. Operations would be financed by an annual deduction of one or two cents per pound from wool deficiency payments.

## Indian rock drillers set record pace

Hard on the heels of the recently completed Indian and Metis report came word from northern Manitoba, of 22 Treaty Indians who are making a name for themselves as rock drillers.

Indians were first employed clearing right-of-way from the Pas south on PTH No. 10. Their work was found quite satisfactory and when a large construction company, working on the Simon-house-Wukon road, needed men the Indians were recommended.

The contractors have announced recently that the Indian rock drillers have drilled more footage per day than any other crew the company has had in the area to date.

At the same time another 45 Indians and Metis from both The Pas and Moose Lake area have found work clearing right-of-way on PTH No. 10 while a few others have gained employment with another large construction company.

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1. Scald 1½ cups milk. Stir in ½ cup granulated sugar 3 teaspoons salt ½ cup butter or margarine. Cool to lukewarm.
2. Measure, measure into large bowl. ½ cup lukewarm water. Stir in 2 teaspoons granulated sugar. Sprinkle with contents of 2 envelopes Fleischmann's Active Dry Yeast. Let stand 10 minutes, THEN stir well. Stir in lukewarm milk mixture and 3 cups one-sized soft-purposed flour and sprinkle with 2 teaspoons celery seeds. Beat until smooth and elastic.

Work in additional 2½ cups (about) one-sized all-purpose flour

3. Turn out on floured board and knead until smooth and elastic. Divide dough into 2 equal portions. Shape each portion into a thick roll and cut into 15 equal-sized pieces. Shape each piece into a smooth ball.

Place balls in greased muffin pans. Brush tops with melted shortening. Cover. Let rise in a warm place, free from draft, until doubled in bulk—about 1 hour. Brush risen buns with soft butter or margarine and sprinkle with celery seeds. Bake in a moderately hot oven, 375°, 15 to 20 minutes. Yield—2½ dozen buns.



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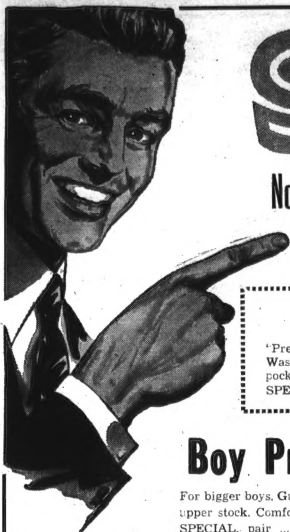
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CKW Yorkton	3:50-4:05pm	CKSB Prince Albert	4:00-4:15pm	CHYC-TV P. Regina	4:15-4:30pm
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## Did You Ever See These?

And, by the way, did you ever see a man carrying a billboard under his arm? No. Did you ever see a handbill on a reading table? No. Did you ever see a picture of the new hat you want come into the house via radio? No. Did you ever see a live newspaper thrown into the wastebasket without being read? No. That's why advertising in this paper brings results.

Members' accounts in the form of reserves.

## Army Exercise Ended Sunday

WAINWRIGHT, Alta. — A 3-day exercise by more than 1,000 troops from northern Alberta ended Sunday at Camp Wainwright. The exercise, shakedown one, tested the militia's role in national survival.

The 1,000 troops of the 23rd militia group and 130 vehicles manoeuvred Saturday on the 150-thousand-acre Camp Wainwright, 130 miles southeast of

Edmonton. The exercise involved moving into a "disaster" area, carrying out radiation monitoring and decontamination, and evacuating casualties.

The units returned to their bases Sunday.

Employer: "For this job we want a responsible man." Applicant: "I'm the guy you're looking for. Everywhere I have worked, when something went wrong they told me I was responsible."

Edmonton.

## Local News

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Fuhr and children have taken up residence in the Peterson house on the west side of town.

Mrs. Wm. Hubman and Gerald are holidaying in Vancouver. Sunday visitors with Mrs. Kay Desjardine were her brother from Edmonton and Mrs. Groves of Wainwright.

Our blizzard of May 2nd brought welcome moisture to this district and a lot of not so welcome cold weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ballentine and family motored to Innisfail last Sunday.

The May meeting of St. Mary's WA will be held at the home of Mrs. G. Coulman on Thursday, May 14, 2:30 p.m. Will all members kindly bring in your Thank Offering Boxes so that contents of same may be placed on the Offertory Plate at the Deaneary WA meeting to be held in Tofield in June. Thank you.

Mrs. Norris Tomlinson of Edmonton entertained at a surprise party in honor of Norris on May 3rd. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Tomlinson, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Tomlinson, Mr. and Mrs. Garth Tomlinson and son, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Willerton and son, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Swift, Mr. and Mrs. Herb Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Bohme, Mr. and Mrs. Stan Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Desmond Gillespie.

Mr. Jack Rae is in Wainwright hospital suffering with an attack of flu. Mrs. L. H. Bars was taken to Manville hospital on Monday for further treatment. Mrs. Hutchinson has returned from visiting friends in Kerrobert and Arcola, Sask.

The W.M.S. May meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. A. C. Charter on Tuesday, May 12, at 3 p.m.

## Card of Thanks

I wish to thank everyone who sent me cards, letters, flowers, fruit and candy while I was in the hospital.

I wish also to thank those who took care of my family, and those who offered to care for them. And thanks to all the kind friends who invited the boys to dinner, and those who sent baking to the family.

These many acts of kindness are greatly appreciated. —Eileen Hubman.

The doctor's 5-year old answered the call at the door. "Is the doctor in?" inquired the caller.

"No, sir,"

"Have you any idea when he will be back?"

"I don't know, sir—he went out on an eternity case."

## ST. THERESA'S BEDDING PLANT SALE

will be held in the Garage of J. Donahue on **MAY 23rd, 1959**

Orders must be in no later than **MAY 16th, 1959**

The following ladies of the C.W.I. will be taking orders: Mrs. E. Hubman, Mrs. F. Drewick, Mrs. E. Meyer, Mrs. L. Savage, Mrs. A. Vanlyte, Miss A. Donahue, Mrs. H. Bars, Mrs. J. Kennedy.

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Nemesia (mixed)	50
Nicotina (tobacco plant)	75
Marygold	50
Pansies (giant mix)	75
Single Petunias (mixed)	50
Double Petunias (mixed)	90
Phlox (mixed dwarf)	50
Portulaca	50
Salvia (red)	50
Snaps (mixed)	50
Stocks (mixed)	50
Zinnias (mixed)	50
Geraniums (pink, red, salmon)	85
Each	40
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SPRING CLEANING? — How about the Chair and Chesterfield? Call Jeffery's Dry Cleaning, phone 214, Viking. M8tc

## WITH THE District Agriculturist

By J. S. Duncan

### Protect the Soil:

Don't let your best soil get taken away from you by wind. This spring has seen a lot of soil blowing around. In many cases this could have been avoided by ridging the soil and keeping some lumps on the surface. It is true that this would have resulted in some loss of moisture but surely it is better to lose some moisture one year rather than lose soil that cannot be replaced in a lifetime. With last year's light stubble it is going to be hard to keep trash on the surface of this year's summerfallow. Use of cultivators and blade implements will be important. Avoid the use of tillers at high speeds as this pulverizes the soil badly and makes it more susceptible to blowing.

### Grasses for Low Land:

A lot of the sloughs which have been full of water the last few years will be dry and can be worked this summer. Many of them would be better seeded down to Reed Canary Grass or some crop which will stand flooding and which will produce feed from the otherwise waste land. Some oats with the grass will produce feed for next winter.

### Farm Sewage Systems:

With help hard to get, the farmer needs to cut down on labour requirements as much as possible. One way to do this is to get water running in pipes and waste disposed of without having to carry it. The septic tank is an important part of the sewage system. To be satisfactory it must make use of a siphon chamber. It must also be large enough that it does not have to be cleaned out too often and it should be permanent. The best type is one made of cement. Perforated forms for pouring cement tanks are available for rent from your municipal office or the Atlas Lumber yard in Wainwright. Booklets on farm water and sewage systems are available from my office.

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